

APPENDIX 1



Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	1	1	2025	To	31	12	2025

Reference and administration details

Charity name
Other names charity is known by
Registered charity number
Charity's principal address

Christian Associates Network
CAN or CA Network
SC036134
Flat 2/1
246 Whitehill Street
Glasgow
Postcode G31 2PG

Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1 Mehri Omrani			
2 Mrs. Cynthia White			
3 Mr. Michael Kurtyka	Secretary & Chairperson		
4 Hadi Jafrizadeh			
5 Esfandiar Mohamadpor			
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Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

Trust Deed

Trustee recruitment and appointment

We have a leadership team (elders) that meets weekly; finances and matters of the charity are brought before the elder board for input. Trustees ensure governance matters are accordingly administered and add further decision making input through mutual collaboration. With the growing relationship with the Free Methodist Church (UK), we have added additional support to facilitate strong leadership, processes and governance accountability.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

The advancement of religion and any other purpose that may reasonably be regarded as analogous to any of the preceding purposes

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

Summary: We were blessed with the addition of a new minister and his family in April 2025. This has provided the church momentum, encouragement and is an obvious answer to prayer - the Lord truly does provide! As a result, we have established a renewed vision for the church and its ministries, resulting in increased unity and growth.

Highlights & Ministries Initiatives:

The use of ReHope Church (Thursdays) and St George's Tron (Mondays) enable us to flexibly, regularly and affordably meet as a local church. We are extremely appreciative of these churches' support of our congregation. With the arrival of a new minister, we have also developed an affiliation with the Free Methodist Church, of which the pastor is an ordained minister. We hope this extended fellowship and eventually formal partnership will further support the leadership team, church and its members.

Ministry initiatives:

- Monday Bible Study - in person through St. George's Tron Church
- Various small group Bible studies during the week
- Thursday Church Service - in person and livestream
- Weekly Worship practice & Bible Study
- Weekly Women's Bible Study & Fellowship
- Baptismal Preparation Courses
- Weekly food bank support with Glasgow City Church
- Joinery club and associated one-off projects
- Teen-Leadership - a week-long cross-cultural programme with young people from the United States sponsored by the GeoTrac Foundation.

Conclusion: Our community continues to mature, grow spiritually and numerically. We have been developing new leaders among the congregation and it is encouraging to see them develop personally but also as disciples of Christ. We give thanks to God for His faithful provision through so many generous donors of their time, financial resources and talents.

Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

The charity experienced a surplus this financial year and while our expenses typically are greater than our income, we trust God with our financial needs. We continue to be supported financially by a small committed group of donors who fund our work and we are dependent on sources (e.g. grants or donations) that are not from within the fellowship. This is due to the makeup of our church (95% refugees) but this is not concerning to the trustees.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

Unspent funds are held in the bank account and carried over for next year. The charity will endeavour to hold £3000 in reserve, in the account, in order to meet minimum expenditures for 6 months.

Details of any deficit

N/A

Donated facilities and services (if any)

N/A

Other optional information

N/A

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Michael J. Kurtyka	
Position (e.g. Chair)	Chair	
Date	14 September 2026	